OSU's Policy Related to Disability
Currently around 40% of teaching faculty have at least one student with a disability in their classes each term; we anticipate this will only increase in the upcoming years. Yet faculty admit they do not feel adequately trained on how to best support students with disability issues, nor are they familiar with the legal ramifications of working with students with disabilities.

Disability Access Services has created an online training program that will take you approximately 30 minutes to complete; it was designed to address many of the questions faculty have asked, as well as all of our responsibilities. The training can be completed at any time, though it should be completed as close to the beginning of fall term as possible.

Please note as well, all syllabi must include a disability statement, for example:

Statement of Accessibility Support
This class represents an environment that is open and welcoming to all students. Accommodations are collaborative efforts between students, faculty, and Disability Access Services (DAS). Students with accommodations approved through DAS are responsible for contacting the faculty member in charge of the course prior to or during the first week of the term to discuss accommodations. Students who believe they are eligible for accommodations but who have not yet obtained approval through DAS should contact DAS immediately at 541-737-4098.